Digital Hygrometer

Field Guide

Task

Find the relative humidity using a digital hygrometer.

What You Need

☐ Digital hygrometer	☐ Watch or timer
☐ Atmosphere Investigation Data Sheet OR Ozone Data Sheet	A thermometer properly installed in an Instrument Shelter

In the Field

- 1. Place the hygrometer in the instrument shelter. (Unless it is very dry, do not leave the hygrometer in the shelter overnight!)
- 2. After at least 30 minutes, read the relative humidity, and note the instrument used.
- 3. Read the current temperature (if your reading is not being taken at the same time as the daily reading of maximum, minimum, and current temperature).
- 4. Return the hygrometer to the classroom, and store it in a dry place.